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**The Goal of Proverbs is to
Make You WISE.**

Proverbs 2:1-22

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LANDMARK 1:

If you really want wisdom, your first stop is FEAR of the LORD.

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

Proverbs 1:7 NIV

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

Proverbs 9:10 NIV

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LANDMARK 2:

If you really want wisdom, your next stop is MORALITY.

Wisdom makes knowledge
PLEASANT (10-11).

Wisdom will save us from
CROOKED people (12-15).

Wisdom will save us from
TEMPTATION (16-19).

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The end of the road is being
GOOD and BLESSED.

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DOUBT YOURSELF.

**Trust in the LORD with all your heart
and lean not on your own under-
standing; in all your ways submit to
him, and he will make your paths
straight.**

**Do not be wise in your own eyes; fear
the LORD and shun evil.**

Proverbs 3:5-7 NIV

There is a way that appears to be right, but in the end it leads to death.

Proverbs 14:12 NIV

A person may think their own ways are right, but the LORD weighs the heart.

Proverbs 21:2 NIV

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HATE EVIL.

**“I, wisdom, dwell together with
prudence; I possess knowledge
and discretion.**

**To fear the LORD is to hate evil; I
hate pride and arrogance, evil
behavior and perverse speech.**

Proverbs 8:12-13 NIV

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Embrace **DISCIPLINE.**

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My son, do not despise the LORD's discipline, and do not resent his rebuke, because the LORD disciplines those he loves, as a father the son he delights in.

Proverbs 3:11-12 NIV

**Whoever loves discipline loves
knowledge, but whoever hates
correction is stupid.**

Proverbs 12:1 NIV

Embrace CONFESSION.

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Whoever conceals their sins does not prosper, but the one who confesses and renounces them finds mercy.

Blessed is the one who always trembles before God, but whoever hardens their heart falls into trouble.

Proverbs 28:13-14 NIV

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9 NIV

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The eyes of the LORD are everywhere, keeping watch on the wicked and the good....

The LORD detests the sacrifice of the wicked, but the prayer of the upright pleases him.

The LORD detests the way of the wicked, but he loves those who pursue righteousness.

Stern discipline awaits anyone who leaves the path; the one who hates correction will die. Death and Destruction lie open before the LORD—how much more do human hearts!

Proverbs 15:3, 8-11 NIV

The image features three lit candles in the center, their flames glowing with a warm, golden light. The background is a dark, starry night sky, with numerous small, bright white stars scattered across the field. The overall mood is contemplative and spiritual.

God,

*So many things I thought I knew,
but I will open my heart to you.*

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